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A Waste of Words

To Complain about the New Food Products—especially Prepared Cereals, etc., because they are Good, Wholesome, Palatable, Cheap. Better try them than rail at them. We have a fine assortment of those most approved. Here are a few, with their prices:

Post Tavern Special.....	package 20c
Pearls of Wheat.....	package 15c
Primrose Wheat.....	package 15c
Wheat Hearts.....	package 25c
Aunt Jemima's Pan Cake Flour.....	2 packages 25c
Flapjack Flour.....	2 packages 25c
Corn Flakes.....	package 10c

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24 Loaves for \$1.00

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SAN FRANCISCO
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keeps in stock whatever
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quality, as nothing but
standard groceries are
sold. Before going to
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He will save you money

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Almost anything one
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room, dining-room, or
office, may be had at his
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Carpets, Pugs, Mats,
Oil Cloths, Curtains, Wall
Paper, etc. New stock of
new patterns just in. See
them.

SUPERVISORS TALK EXPOSITION PLANS

MEETING ATTENDED BY MANY
PROMINENT CITIZENS IN THE
INTEREST OF PROGRESS.

System is Planned Which Will
Give the County Best Public
Highways in State.

The Board of Supervisors met in
adjourned session Monday at 11
o'clock, all of the members being
present.

The chairman stated that the
purpose of the meeting was to dis-
cuss matters pertaining to the
Panama-Pacific Exposition and to
arrange a day for an inspection of
the exposition site by the board
and the county exposition commis-
sions.

There were present of the latter
James McCormick of Pescadero, Dr.
C. L. Morgan of Halfmoon Bay and
A. G. C. Hahn of Menlo Park.

Dr. Morgan addressed the board,
asking that the county representa-
tives in the legislature be urged
to vote for an appropriation for
a State building at the exposition
which would be equipped so as to
afford each county an opportunity
to exhibit its resources. This
action was recommended at a
meeting of the exposition commis-
sioners, at which forty-two coun-
ties were represented, in San
Francisco last week.

Mr. Hahn also spoke in favor of
the undertaking.

A resolution will be presented at
a later meeting recommending the
action advocated by the exposition
commissions.

It was ordered on motion of
Brown, seconded by Casey that the
board and the exposition commis-
sion meet at the exposition
building in San Francisco next Tues-
day, the 31st instant, to in-
spect the exposition site.

The board then took up the road
report of Advisory Engineer Mor-
ton, presented at the last meet-
ing. The report which was presented
in detail gave close attention to
the roads of each section as they
were taken up by the good roads
enthusiasts present, among whom
were the Board of Supervisors, L.
P. Behrens, E. E. Skinner, E. E.
Cunningham, D. P. Fullerton, H.
C. Tuckson and Dr. C. L. Morgan of
the executive committee as well
as C. M. Morse, A. G. C. Hahn, M.
B. Johnson, Ellis C. Johnson, Jas.
McCormick Sr., Henry Gellius R.
S. Thornton and other citizens.

It being impossible to complete the
work necessary before making rec-
ommendations as to the report, the
executive committee will continue
their work at San Mateo on Fri-
day afternoon with the purpose of
presenting written recommendations
to the report to the Board of
Supervisors at their meeting to be
held next Monday.

"All of the roads which are
worthy of consideration and which
are main traveled highways have
been taken up in this report,"
said Engineer Morton in his presen-
tation of the same at the con-
ference. "These roads and the state
highway which is now being built
will give this county the best sys-
tem of highways in the state. There
will be no county to compare with
it in the permanent character of
construction used," he continued.

At South San Francisco, Judge E.
E. Cunningham argued for the use
of a route through that town that
would be 150 feet west of the
route selected by the engineer,
claiming that its adoption would re-
sult in the saving of construction
expense which would be caused by
the necessity of lowering water
pipes. He also recommended the
adoption of a new location into San
Bruno from South San Francisco on
account of the difficulties that
might be encountered in securing
the rights of way along the route
chosen by Engineer Morton. In the
second district, Supervisor Brown
and C. M. Morse argued for the
use of asphalt surfacing on the
San Mateo-Crystal Springs Road
where the grades are slight.

The Third, Fourth and Fifth
townships and their roads were
taken up in order and the main
suggestions and objections from
these districts were heard. A dis-
position was shown to adopt the
policy of give and take, representa-
tives present expressing them-
selves as being willing to forego im-
provements in order that dis-
tricts somewhat more in need of
them might have the same. It
will also evidently be the order of
the day to cut down any expense
which may seem superfluous while
still maintaining the general stand-
ard character of the roads built. A
feasible and effective plan upon
which to found and fight for the
bond issue is expected to be evolved
within the next few weeks which
will result in the county being placed
in an actual position to gain
immediate benefit from the opening
of the Panama-Pacific Exposition
and the attendant throngs at that
event.

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Pain along the back, dizziness, headache and
general languor, the result of Mother
Gray's AROMATIC-LEAF, the pleasant
root and herb cure for all Kidney, Bladder
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down, tired, weak and without energy, use
this remarkable combination of nature's
herbs and roots. As a regulator it has no
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sample sent FREE. Address, The Mother
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LAWRENCE KELLY DEAD AFTER SHORT ILLNESS.

Lawrence Kelly, a resident of
the county for more than half a
century, passed away in this city
Saturday after a brief illness. Mr.
Kelly was well known to the older
inhabitants of the community. For
fifty years he lived on his farm on
the mountain west of Portola. He
was a good citizen, industrious and
hard working, and honest and fair
to his fellow men. He was respect-
ed by a host of friends. A year ago
he sold his property and came to
this city to spend his remaining
years in rest and comfort.

During the week he was taken
ill and was removed to Mrs. Hul-
lings' sanitarium, suffering from
pneumonia and heart disease. He
died during the early evening Sat-
urday.

The deceased was interred at
Menlo Park Monday, his body first
being taken to the Catholic church
where requiem services were held.

Mr. Kelly was a native of Ire-
land, aged 83 years. He never mar-
ried and leaves no relatives in
this country. A number of his kin
are living in the old country.

HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON; SANTA CLAUS WAS BUSY.

The entertainment given by the
Mount Carmel Aid Society at the
Alhambra Friday night was enjoyed
by an immense attendance. A
highclass program rendered by
the convent children showed the
splendid training facilities of that
school. At the close of the pro-
gram Santa Claus appeared and the
gifts that burdened an immense
tree, brilliantly lighted, were distrib-
uted to the throng of expectant and
delighted children. None were over-
looked and it is needless to add that
all were intensely happy. In con-
clusion the hall was cleared and an
hour devoted to dancing.

Monday evening the Congrega-
tional church was packed to the doors,
all eagerly waiting for Santa Claus.
About 8 o'clock he appeared as
bright and cheerful as ever. The
children were happy as he gave
many presents to those of the
Sunday school and to some who had
been enthusiastic workers in years
gone by.

The children of St. Peter's Episco-
pal church will have a Christmas
tree at the guild hall Saturday eve-
ning at 7:30 o'clock. There will be
exercises by the children and Santa
Claus will be present. The pub-
lic is invited.

The children of the Methodist
Sunday school were treated to a
Christmas tree Tuesday night. There
was a program by the little folks
and Santa Claus was there to make
them happy with presents. It was an
enjoyable event for old and young.

Charter Day at the Club.

Charter members' day brought a
most pleasing reunion of old mem-
bers of the Woman's Club on
Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. H.
C. Finkler and Mrs. Frank Went-
worth were the hostesses. An en-
joyable program was given, consist-
ing of reminiscences of the ear-
lier meetings and entertainments
of the club, being well given by Mrs.
Lila M. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. J. H.
Nash. Mrs. James Eva gave two
interesting recitations and musical
numbers were furnished by Mrs.
Frank P. Wentworth and Mr.
Charles Landscheit, each singing
several solos. Miss Clara Dodge
and Miss Emily Hess were the ac-
companists. Light refreshments
closed the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert U. W. Tal-
man of New York are the guests of
Mrs. Tallman's brother, E. W.
Mantz. Mr. Tallman is an import-
er of crude rubber, with offices on
Broad street. Their home is on Sta-
ten Island.

Miss Pauline Einstein, who is a
student at Hopkins Art Institute, is
home for the holidays.

THE BANK OF ITALY

announces that it has purchased the
SAN MATEO BANK
the OLDEST STATE BANK in the County,
which, commencing with the New Year, it
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and Corporations to which we offer every
facility and accommodation consistent with
prudent and conservative banking.

GAME ENTHUSIASTS STUDY NEW LAWS

OBJECT IS TO AFFORD MORE
PROTECTION TO THE DEN-
ZENS OF THE FOREST.

At the meeting of the local game
protective association Friday night
the members got down to business.
Reports were received from the
committees on county game and the
following recommendations were
made:

That the open deer season be
from August 1st to September 30th,
one month earlier than at present. It
was recommended that one dog to
each hunter be permitted in hunt-
ing deer, and that it be made a
misdemeanor to permit dogs to
run the animals during the closed
season.

It was recommended that the rail
season be closed indefinitely; that
the open duck season be from Oc-
tober 1st to February 15th; the
quail season from November 1st to
February 15th, fifteen days short-
er than at present, and that shore
birds, including curlew, snipe, plover,
etc., have the same open season
as duck.

A recommendation was also offer-
ed that the legislature provide a li-
cense for both hunting and fishing
and that the age limit in issuing
licenses be 14 years. It will also
be asked that the State fix defi-
nite hours during the day for shoot-
ing.

An important recommendation is
that the State establish game pre-
serves for breeding purposes.

A State convention will be held
at Santa Cruz next Saturday to
which Guy P. Hull, Henry Beeger
and Franklin Swart were appointed
as delegates and to present the
foregoing recommendations, which
are to apply to this county and
the other counties comprising Dis-
trict No. 5.

An important undertaking by the
local sportsmen will be the extinc-
tion of predatory birds and ani-
mals, a list of which has been pre-
pared by President Chase Lit-
tlejohn. Among the birds marked
is the sharp shanked hawk, each
one of which is known to destroy
about 1000 quail and other birds in
a year.

The predatory birds and animals
are to be grouped according to their
destructiveness, and when
killed are to count so many points
in comparison. The plan of the
members is to form two sections
and the one making the best show-
ing in the destruction of the of-
fensive birds and animals within
a given time will receive a dinner
from the losing side.

As an incentive to the winners
of the organization certain peo-
ple interested in protecting the
birds and game of the county have
offered special prizes to be dis-
tributed by the special committee
in charge. Hull Bros. of this city
have offered a first-class shotgun.
Some of the clubs of the county
have offered substantial cash prizes.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HOLD HOLIDAY EVENT

A merry beginning of the Christ-
mas festivities was given in the as-
sembly hall of the high school on
Saturday night. The sophomore
class were the hosts and most clover-
ly had they planned the details of
the happy affair. The hall was gay
in holiday decorations and an ex-
cellent program was given. Two
short well-staged farces gave
an added interest to the program.
The jolliest part of the evening
followed, when gifts were distrib-
uted from a large, beautifully light-
ed tree. These were all of a
fun making nature and selected
with a careful thought of each stu-
dent's hobby. Refreshments, consist-
ing of pies, coffee and sweets, all
made by the girls of the domestic
science class were served.



OF ALL KINDS OF
Baking Powders
SELLS ROYAL BEST

The housewife and the merchant are occasionally,
better said, often confronted with a new Baking Powder
which is presumed to have Royal fade into glooms, but
the fact remains after all is said and tried that

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MEAT THAT A KING MIGHT EAT

is ready for you here whenever you
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As queen of your household we invite
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We know the meats will please you and
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Cooking with gas has greatly reduced the work
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Apply a match any hour of the day or night
and you have immediately a heat that is in-
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There's no "sweating and
fussing" when cooking with
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Manufacturers and Dealers in

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you afford to be without this protection for your
valuables? We would be pleased to show you our
Safe Deposit Vault and the privacy which our booths
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Have You a Savings Account?

Don't forget when you are ready to open a
Savings account that we are the pioneer bank in
San Mateo County who paid 4 per cent to its de-
positors.

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D. W. WILLIAMS, Cashier

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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER

D. E. O'KEEFE, Editor and Proprietor

Give Your County
 A Holiday Present
 By Joining
 The Development Association

The human being who hasn't a
 tear in his heart for another's woe,
 is undeserving of human sympathy
 in his own extremity.

He who lives meanly will naturally
 think meanly; and act meanly;
 and meanness of any kind is un-
 worthy of a noble soul.

A soft, low word, in kindness
 spoken—a radiant face beaming
 with love and sympathy—are dew
 from heaven, distilling sweet hope
 and courage to weary, laden hearts.

The year just about to close
 has been one of the very best we
 have ever had, so it with a
 heart full of joy and happiness that
 we wish you a Happy New Year.

We haven't added materially to
 our store of this world's goods
 during the last twelve months but
 we have added a few good friends
 to the ones we had before and we
 close our year's accounts with the
 feeling that no good name of any one
 and we know that we have boosted
 wherever a boost was possible.
 Happy New Year.

TURNING A NEW LEAF.

Before another issue of the
 Times-Gazette reaches its readers
 we shall have passed one more
 milestone in the onward march of
 time. The old year, with its record
 of good or ill, will have passed;
 the accounts will have been closed,
 and to it we can "nothing add,
 nothing take from." It is perhaps
 well, though, that we should pause
 for a moment and review the record;
 not so much that there is glory
 in its accomplishment, but
 rather, that we may take heed of
 its lessons for the future.

For the year that is closing we
 have but little regret. As a com-
 munity, we have been fairly pros-
 perous; we have been blessed with
 a reasonable share of good things.
 We have not been visited with serious
 calamity; nor have our people
 been deprived of the means of
 obtaining the ordinary comforts of
 life to which they have been accus-
 tomed. The man of capital has been
 awarded a reasonable return for his
 investments, while the artisan
 has generally found employment
 at a satisfactory wage.

But, does the record show that
 he have achieved the best that is
 in us; have we, in a material sense,
 progressed as rapidly as our city,
 have we accomplished for our city
 and her people all that our envi-
 ronments and opportunities should
 have warranted. Have we made
 the progress that the opening of
 the year which has so nearly passed
 promised—or rather which at
 the time we promised for ourselves.

If we have fallen short of our
 ambitions—and that we have can
 scarcely be denied—the fault is
 within ourselves. Nor is it diffi-
 cult to find. It is simply and solely
 that we have been remiss in our
 duty to ourselves, that we have
 failed in that unanimity of effort
 which should actuate every pro-
 gressive community.

Let us, then, take heed of the
 past. Let us resolve—and with a
 determination that the resolution
 shall be kept—that in the
 year about to dawn there shall be
 a more marked showing of progress
 along material lines. Let the man
 of money and the man of brawn—
 for each is equally dependent upon
 the other—unite in the effort
 to take advantage of the op-
 portunities with which nature has
 endowed us. Let us subordinate
 our private desires and ambi-
 tions to the public good and com-
 bine in the furtherance of every pub-
 lic enterprise. Let us not only be
 ready to open the door to opportu-
 nity when she knocks, but stand on
 the highway ready to welcome the
 coming guest. Let us encourage
 every suggestion to the advance-
 ment of public enterprise, rather
 than question the motive of the
 individual. In other words,
 "let's boost, not knock."

Henry Marcus states that this
 Christmas was the busiest and
 most prosperous of any he has ex-
 perimented during the eight
 years he has been in business in
 Redwood City.

Call for 1913 Calendar, large, plain
 figures. Free for the asking. Not to
 children. A. D. Walsh Co., Pioneer
 Drug Store, 12 Broadway.

The Palm Saloon For Sale.

The Palm Saloon—on account of sickness
 of owner. Apply on premises. 12-14

WANTED BOYS
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 Motorcycle FREE by securing sub-
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 Palo Alto 12-28

COUNTY POLICE PROTECTION PROVES EXPENSIVE LUXURY

Cost of Running Sheriff's Office Far
 Exceeds Its Earnings.

Whatever may be the result of the
 grand jury investigation directed by
 Judge Buck into the accounts of the
 sheriff's office it seems evident
 that the board of supervisors, in the
 interest of public economy, should
 devise some less expensive sys-
 tem of conducting the work of that
 office. That in the past the office
 has been a rather expensive lux-
 ury to the people of the county is
 shown by a comparison of the
 receipts from fees and fines col-
 lected and turned over to the treas-
 urer with the expense bill collect-
 ed from the county by the sheriff
 for the conduct of his office, as
 shown by the official statement of
 the sheriff filed with the county
 clerk for the month of August, one
 of the reports to which the at-
 tention of the grand jurors was es-
 pecially called by Judge Buck. A
 slight analysis of this report, which
 is appended in full from the origi-
 nal record shows that while the
 receipts of the office were but
 \$103.10, the expenses amounted to
 \$595.15. This latter amount,
 added to the monthly salary of
 \$375 gives a total cost of \$970.15
 or an expense to the tax payers of
 \$867.05. As a matter of informa-
 tion the report is well worth perus-
 ing.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors
 of the County of San Mateo: Gentlemen:

I have submitted my report for the month
 of August, 1912.

I have collected during said month of Aug-
 ust, 1912, the following fees due the county
 and have paid the same to the County Treas-
 urer to-wit:

Aug. 3 John Pennington vs G W Pen-
 nington..... 75

" 6 Theo Weiss vs Geo Pappas..... 1.50

" 7 J J Bauer vs S Barker..... 1.50

" 1 Pioneer Auto Co vs A C Ambler..... 1.50

" 9 J J Bauer vs Fred Norman..... 1.50

" 9 J J Bauer vs Geo Searles..... 1.50

" 14 Mattie Burris vs Wm S Burris..... 1.50

" 15 Pioneer Auto Co vs A C Ambler..... 1.50

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SOME POINTED FACTS FOR LOVERS OF OUR GAME BIRDS

The following letter to the
 sportsmen of the county from the
 San Mateo county branch of the
 Fish and Game Protective Associa-
 tion outlines the preliminary work
 of the newly organized body:

To the Sportsmen of San Mateo
 county, Gentlemen: Since the or-
 ganization of the San Mateo county
 branch of the Great Fish and Game
 Protective Association, there has
 developed in San Mateo county a
 general interest in the protection
 of fish and game of the county. To
 this end it has been suggested that
 there be made an organized effort
 to rid the county of the predatory
 animals and birds. The organiza-
 tion owes everything to the ex-
 perience and knowledge of these
 matters of its president, Mr. Chase
 Littlejohn, who, in referring to
 but one of the predatory birds states
 that a single sharp shanked
 hawk destroys 1000 quail per year.
 All know the destructiveness of
 the coyote, wild cats and other
 animals.

Experience show that a bounty
 system is not practical. A plan has
 therefore been devised by a special
 committee of the organization for
 the destruction of the birds and
 animals that prey upon our game.

By this plan the members of the
 organization will be divided into two
 sides. A list of the predatory ani-
 mals and birds has been prepared
 by Mr. Littlejohn. Each will count
 so many points, and the side gaining
 the largest number of points by
 producing scalps of these animals
 or birds will be declared the winner,
 and the losing side will have the
 opportunity of providing the best
 dinner to be had for the winners.

As a special incentive to the win-
 ners of the organization, certain
 people interested in protecting the
 birds and game of the county, have
 offered special prizes to be distrib-
 uted by the special committee in
 charge. Hull Bros of Redwood
 City have offered a first-class shot-
 gun. Some of the clubs of the
 county have offered substantial
 cash prizes. These have been
 prompted largely by the fact that
 ground squirrels and gophers are
 to be included in the list.

This letter is published rather
 generally to the public so that
 all may have an opportunity to take
 a part in this plan. Any clubs, or-
 ganizations or persons interested in
 offering prizes in this contest can
 communicate with the office of the
 district attorney, or with Mr. Lit-
 tlejohn direct in Redwood City.
 The time of the contest and details
 of the plan will be made public as
 soon as fully determined upon.

Yours very truly,
 FRANKLIN SWART,
 Of committee on predatory ani-
 mals and birds.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the State of Cal-
 ifornia, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the matter of the estate of V. Semanoff,
 also known as V. Semanoff, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned,
 H. G. Plymire, administrator of the estate of
 V. Semanoff, also known as V. Semanoff, de-
 ceased, to the creditors of and all persons
 having claims against the said V. Semanoff,
 also known as V. Semanoff, deceased, to ex-
 hibit them with the necessary vouchers,
 within four (4) months after the first publi-
 cation of this notice (made December 28th, 1912)
 to the administrator of said estate, at the law
 office of Jas. T. O'Keefe, 38 Broadway, Red-
 wood City, County of San Mateo, State of
 California, the same being the place hereby
 designated by said administrator for the
 transaction of the business of the estate of
 said V. Semanoff, also known as V. Semanoff,
 deceased.

H. G. PLYMIRE,
 Administrator of the estate of V. Semanoff,
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 Jas. T. O'Keefe, attorney for administrator,
 38 Broadway, Redwood City, Cal. 12-28-12

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 Cornelius Denehy, also known as
 C. Denehy, deceased.

No. 12874 N. S. Dept. No. 9 Pro-
 bate.

Notice of Sale of Real Property.

Notice is hereby given, that in
 pursuance of an Order of the Su-
 perior Court of the State of California,
 in and for the City and County
 of San Francisco, made on the
 16th day of December, 1912, in the
 Matter of the Estate of Cornelius
 Denehy, also known as C. Denehy,
 deceased, the undersigned, Adminis-
 tratrix of the Estate of Cornelius
 Denehy, also known as C. Denehy,
 deceased, will sell at private sale,
 in one parcel, to the highest bidder,
 upon the terms and conditions here-
 inafter mentioned, and subject to
 confirmation by the said Superior
 Court, on or after Monday, the
 13th day of January, 1913, all the
 right, title, interest and estate of
 said Cornelius Denehy, also known
 as C. Denehy, deceased, at the time
 of his death, and all the right,
 title and interest that the said
 estate has by operation of law, or
 otherwise acquired, other than in
 addition to that of said deceased,
 at the time of his death, in, in,
 or, to, all that certain lot, piece
 or parcel of land, situate, lying and
 being in the County of San Ma-
 teo, State of California, and par-
 ticularly described as follows, to-
 wit:

The southwest fifty (50) feet of
 Lots Number Twenty-three (23)

NEWS GATHERED FROM THE COUNTY

Interesting Notes Picked Up By Husting Reporters in the County Districts.

SAN BRUNO NOTES.

George Whight and wife spent Christmas day with Mr. Whight's parents at Colma.

Mrs. Chris Schmidt had a houseful on Christmas Day. Her only regret was that her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dr. Bolim, and her son were not present, owing to an attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Foster has been very low with typhoid pneumonia during the past week.

P. Reed, with his mother and sister, has moved to Santa Rosa, where they will engage in the local business.

Hyde Green, with his family, is spending the holidays with his parents at Berkeley.

Robert Seestrom died Saturday, December 14th, death coming the day he arrived at the home of his son at Tracy. At the time of his death he was 72 years of age. His estate was disposed of by will, which was filed in the probate court at Redwood City on Thursday by attorney Davis.

Attorney Jas. O'Keefe of Redwood City was in town Tuesday trying a case in the justice court.

The mass meeting called by the fire commissioners at the fire house on Thursday evening of last week was attended by but few of our residents. A cold building on a cold night was not tempting enough to induce people to leave their own firesides. At least that was the excuse given by many who in the past have been active participants at meetings held in the same hall. So committees, or those calling meetings in the future, should take the hint while these cold nights last and provide wood to warm the room. The meeting was called to order by J. J. Maloney, who read from a prepared statement a list of requirements necessary for fighting fires which in the judgment of the board would be adequate for all occasions. The plan submitted was to purchase two more chemical engines, three ladders, material for two more engine houses and other accessories, and in addition the release of a mortgage against the present property under the control of the volunteer department. The cost of all this was estimated at \$5,000, to raise which amount a tax of 50 cents on each \$100 valuation would be submitted to the voters at an early date. The plan did not meet with the approval of those present, and after considerable discussion the board promised to procure data on suggestions brought out and to submit the same at the next meeting.

The residents of the Fifth Addition have organized an improvement club and have rented a house on the tract suitable for their purpose. A stove and comfortable chairs contribute largely these cold nights to the work of evolving plans for the betterment of the locality. The opening of a street is now under consideration and the plan will soon be presented to the proper authorities for final consideration. Nicholas Powers, the sage of the fifth addition, yields the gravel with grace and dignity and without the Joe Cannon parliamentary rules. A stove is good enough and all will have a respectful hearing. J. J. Heame indites the motions and other business. The club meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

J. F. Cook, who formerly conducted a second hand furniture store in Belle Air Park, is now located on Grant avenue, South San Francisco.

Carl Jackson of Belle Air Park, who has been engaged during the past summer in the contracting business at Klamath Falls, Oregon, arrived in San Bruno last Friday to look after his business interest here. After the holidays he will leave for his old home at Cleveland, Ohio, where he will remain until spring visiting with his sons and daughters.

The mail messenger was seriously thinking of getting an auto truck to handle the vast amount of mail coming to the post office during Christmas week. The exchange was equally heavy and every one connected with the office had a strenuous week.

Many visitors spent Christmas day in San Bruno. They were attracted to this locality by the birdmen flying at the park. Many will come again with a view to closely looking into inducements for home building.

Emil Gierant of Belle Air has completed the construction of a garage which is a credit to his artistic ability as well as the designing of modern requirements necessary for comfort and easy access. Mr. and Mrs. Gierant do not believe in sitting on the fence and seeing the other fellow go by and enjoy the state highway good roads, but will join the merry crowd with one of the latest improved cars which has been ordered for future delivery.

NEWS OF DALY CITY

Enrico Baggio has about completed the fitting up of his new restaurant and is arranging for a grand opening of the place on New Year's Eve.

Mrs. Eloise S. DeValdez, who for some time has been a teacher in the Vista Grande school, is preparing for an extended trip to Spain, where she goes to assist in the settlement of a large estate for which she is one of the heirs.

One of the social events of the season will be the entertainment and ball to be given by the local Carpenters' Union on Saturday evening, December 28th.

SAN MATEO AND BURLINGAME.

The school trustees of Burlingame district have called a public meeting of the residents for Saturday evening for the purpose of selecting a site for the new building for the erection of which bonds were recently authorized. The trustees have secured offers of several sites which will be submitted to the meeting.

On Friday evening of this week Burlingame Lodge, F. & A. M., installed the following officers: Geo. A. Beebe, worshipful master; Fred T. Colby, senior warden; W. F. Stapp, Jr., junior warden; Frank Marshall, treasurer; W. J. Kidd, secretary; L. A. Cavalier, senior deacon; E. Penniman, junior deacon; Dr. A. J. Belton and Arthur G. Dolan, stewards; Allan R. Hanson, tyler.

Arrangements have been completed for the taking over of the business of the San Mateo Bank by the Bank of Italy, of San Francisco.

co. The actual consolidation of the local business of the two banks will take place on the first of January, after which date the Bank of San Mateo will be conducted as a branch of the big San Francisco Bank. The change will be welcomed among local business men, as they will then have the advantages which will result from the greatly augmented capital by which their home bank will be backed. Not alone will this afford greater security to local depositors, but it will enable the bank to greatly facilitate its business and afford extended accommodations to home enterprises.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO.

The grammar school trustees have recently been making a number of improvements to the school grounds. Several new swings have been erected and a basket ball court is soon to be laid out. The board is also planning to add sufficient to the fund recently realized by the pupils at their entertainment to purchase a piano.

A the last meeting of the city council it was decided to continue the system of tree planting along the streets which was inaugurated last season. The city clerk was instructed to secure prices for a large number of black acacia and elm trees for that purpose.

At the last meeting of Ruth Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, the following officers were installed: Worthington, Mrs. Annie L. Cunningham; worthy patron, Geo. P. McDonald; associate matron, Bertie Hynding; secretary, Edna Whitten; treasurer, Marianne Martin; conductress, Marguerite Kauffmann; associate conductress, Edna Young; Ada, Maude Tidemann; Ruth, Edna McGovern; Esther, Raella Furgerson; Martha, Mabel McColm; Electa, Freida McDonald; warden, Alice Newberry; sentinel, John Rior-dan; chaplain, Fred Cunningham; marshal, Dora Edwards; organist, Charles Young.

FROM THE COAST SIDE.

Alvin S. Hatch of Halfmoon Bay was called to Hollister last week by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. James Schuyler, who at the time of her death was a resident of that city. Mrs. Schuyler, who at the time of her death was 81 years of age, was a pioneer resident of the coast side. A quarter of a century ago she was the owner of the "Schuyler Hotel," then occupying the site of the present Occidental Hotel at Halfmoon Bay.

Geo. O. Rich is making preparations to plant a tract of 200 acres at Vallejo to eucalyptus trees.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Halfmoon Bay Light and Power Company the following were elected as officers and directors of the corporation: J. J. Gomes, president and manager; Dr. C. L. Morgan, first vice president; H. N. Levy, second vice president; A. Gomes, secretary; Joseph Fernandes, treasurer; J. A. Block, Joseph Rue, Ben Cunha and E. C. Raffanti, directors.

Marsh & Cunha have purchased the Vallejo property, opposite the Mosconi Hotel, at Halfmoon Bay, and are preparing to erect a \$2,500 building on the property which they will occupy with a livery stable, fuel and feed business.

Manuel Bernardo is erecting a \$15,000 residence near the Borden lumber yard at Halfmoon Bay.

The Grainger ranch near Halfmoon Bay has been sold to Wil Debenedetti.

Vista del Mar Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West, of Halfmoon Bay, have elected the following officers: Phoebe Campbell, past president; Kate Gilchrist, president; Irene Debedetti, first vice president; Lottie Shoults, second vice president; Annie Griffith, third vice president; Grace Griffith, recording secretary; Margaret Shoults, financial secretary; Jennie Brooke, treasurer; Minnie Ross, marshal; Annie Quinlan, inside sentinel; Ella Boitman outside sentinel; Ruby Hatch, organist; Mabel Nichols, Mary Hel-hena, Mabel Staples, trustees.

PESCADERO CORRESPONDENCE.

Miss Irene Kelly of San Gregorio recently entertained as a house guest Miss Edith Hibbert of Santa Cruz.

Miss Carol Littlefield has been enjoying a home visit over the holidays.

The S. P. R. I. society of Pescadero will give a grand ball in Union hall on December 31st.

The pupils of the grammar school gave a very interesting entertainment on Friday evening of last week.

Marion Upton, an old resident of this place, died at his home here last Monday at the age of 84 years. The deceased was a native of Massachusetts. Mr. Upton was a brother-in-law of Lord Coburn. The funeral took place on Thursday and interment was in Cypress Lawn Cemetery. The deceased was a familiar figure in Pescadero and he will be missed by all who knew him.

Mr. Lovie Much Improved.

George W. Lovie, the popular secretary of the San Mateo County Building and Loan Association, who was seized with an apoplectic fit last Tuesday, is recovering and if nothing unforeseen occurs he will be at his office next week. Some time ago Mr. Lovie suffered a similar stroke and soon recovered. His numerous friends in this city and throughout the county will be pleased to learn that he will soon be able to be around.

Death of Patrick Swift.

Patrick Swift, the pioneer San Francisco lumberman, and well known former resident of Belmont, passed away at his home in Oakland Thursday morning after a long illness. The deceased is survived by a widow and a number of children.

Redwood City French Laundry. All orders promptly attended to. J. Rynne, proprietor. Phone Redwood 223 J.

DOINGS ABOUT THE COUNTY OFFICES

Matters of General Interest to Litigants Culled from the Public Records.

Albert Larsen has applied in the Superior Court for a new trial in the suit of Albert Larsen against George Larsen and others. The notice of a motion for a new trial was filed in the county clerk's office during the week.

Civil Action Dismissed.

The civil suit of Ernest G. Sifman against the Halfmoon Bay Light and Power Company has been dismissed in the Superior court. The notice of dismissal was filed in the clerk's office on Thursday.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Henry E. Calif, aged 34, and Mabel Tolles, aged 20, both of San Francisco.

Conrad Tyroler, aged 21, Oakland and Rose Nathan, aged 18, San Francisco.

Antone S. Goularte, aged 40, Woodside and Mary J. Canadellas, aged 22, Redwood City.

Articles of Incorporation Filed.

The following articles of incorporation have been filed in the county clerk's office during the week:

The Tacoma Land Company incorporates with a capital stock of \$75,000, divided into 75,000 shares at a par value of one dollar each. The purpose of the incorporation is to engage in the real estate business and the principal place of business is San Francisco. The actual amount of stock subscribed is \$25 by the following stockholders who subscribe five shares each: Clarence E. Sheets, Charles H. McDonald, William T. Hawkins, Thomas H. Laine and J. H. Evans.

New Actions in Superior Court.

Edward Renard has commenced foreclosure proceedings in the superior court against Leon Gustave Vidal to recover the sum of \$209. The property on which the mortgage is to be foreclosed consists of lots 5 and lot 6, block 2, Miramar Tract. Plaintiff also asks for interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, attorney fees and costs of suit. Joseph E. O'Donnell is the attorney for plaintiff.

H. Gaerdes has commenced an action in the Superior Court against the City of South San Francisco to enforce the city for enforcing ordinance No. 59, which goes into effect on January 1st. Plaintiff alleges that he has the sum of \$25,000 invested in South San Francisco in the grocery business and premises and if the ordinance goes into effect he will be damaged in the sum of \$5,000. In connection with the grocery he conducts a wholesale liquor business. By the terms of the ordinance he will not be permitted to sell liquor on the premises by the quart or at wholesale. Gaerdes claims he is discriminated against in view of the fact that saloons, tipping places, etc., will be permitted to sell liquor. Gaerdes asks that a restraining order be issued by the court preventing the trustees from carrying out that portion of the ordinance which affects him.

Water Suits to be Appealed.

O. F. Westphal, the plaintiff in the case of O. F. Westphal against H. C. Finkler and others, has filed a notice of appeal in the appellate court of this district from the decision rendered in favor of defendant on December 11th. The grounds on which the appeal are based are as follows: Newly discovered evidence, material to plaintiff which could not, with reasonable diligence be discovered and produced at the trial, that the evidence is insufficient to justify the decision and judgment, that the decision and judgment are against law, occurring at the time of the trial and excepted to by plaintiff. Carroll Cook is the attorney for plaintiff. A. M. Robertson has also filed a notice of appeal from the decision of the court rendered at the same time in the case of A. M. Robertson against H. C. Finkler and others. The basis of the appeal are the same grounds as those advanced by Westphal. The controversy of the parties to the suit is over their right to the water of Rock Spring located on the property of Finkler. Robertson and Westphal own adjoining lands and claim a certain right to the water of the spring.

Probate Court Orders.

Estate of Charles C. Bay, deceased. Petition for letters of administration continued to January 1st.

Estate of Annie O'Toole, deceased. Account allowed and settled and petition for distribution granted.

Estate of Mary E. Fuller, deceased. Final account allowed and settled and petition for distribution granted.

Estate of Paulina Rezek, deceased. Letters of administration granted Emilia Radulovic.

Estate of Louis Blatter, deceased. H. G. Plymire granted letters of administration.

In the matter of the petition of E. D. Conolly for the termination of the life estate of Bridget Conolly, granted.

Orders in Superior Court.

H. W. Crankshaw vs. J. J. Driscoll. Trial continued to Jan. 22.

W. C. Howell vs. J. J. Driscoll. Trial continued to Jan. 22.

Autot Gas Engine Co. vs. D. H. McEwen. Demurrer overruled and defendant allowed 10 days to answer.

Julia Peterson vs. Louis Peterson. Motion to set aside default continued to Jan. 1.

San Mateo Bank vs. J. S. Henderson. Demurrer overruled and defendant allowed 10 days to answer.

Daisy C. Cross vs. E. J. Cross. Motion to set cause dropped from calendar.

L. Woodward vs. Glenwood Lumber Co. Motion to strike out granted.

California Supply Co. vs. Joseph Debedetti. Demurrer overruled and defendant allowed 10 days to answer.

A. Sonnickson vs. Peter Suverkrup. Motion to reopen case denied.

Margaret Ann Chandler vs. Asa T. Weeks. Demurrer overruled and defendant allowed 10 days to answer.

Harry C. Warren vs. Jefferson M. Moore. Demurrer and motion to strike out submitted.

Stanley W. Morehead vs. W. A. Nunlist, et al. Trial continued to granted.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES OF MENLO PARK

Interesting Paragraphs of Personal News Gathered About Town.

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St. Joseph's parochial school was the scene of great merriment Thursday afternoon when a Christmas tree was given to the little ones by the kind sisters. The mothers of the scholars and friends of the school were present and enjoyed the excellently arranged program, every number of which evoked applause. Santa Claus appeared upon the scene and gave every child present a nice gift. The occasion was a delightful one, enjoyed not only by the little ones, but the older people as well.

Franklin Slade is here from Lawrenceville, New Jersey, to spend ten days with his parents at Atherton. Young Slade is attending college at Lawrenceville where he has established a reputation as a bright and clever student. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Slade, who have occupied the Beach Thompson residence for several months past, will take apartments in one of the leading hotels of San Francisco about the first of the month and remain in the city until their new home will be finished in April.

George Blain, a prominent architect and a pioneer architect of this part of the State, is dead at his home in the Willow, near San Jose, at the age of 82. He designed many of the older residences in this section of the State, and planned and selected the material for the entire hardwood interior of the Flood home at Menlo Park. Blain was a native of New York and crossed the plains in the early fifties. Of late years he has been devoting himself to the management of his extensive orchard property. He is survived by a large family.

J. L. Flood of Menlo Park, in keeping with his annual custom, this year has made Christmas gifts to the various charitable institutions totaling \$5,500.

Following are the beneficiaries receiving checks during the last week: San Francisco Protestant orphan asylum, \$1,000; Roman Catholic orphan asylum, \$1,000; Pacific Hebrew orphan asylum and home society, \$1,000; San Rafael orphan asylum for boys, \$1,000; Magdalen asylum, \$500; Boys and Girls' Aid Society, \$250; St. Joseph's asylum for the deaf, dumb and blind, \$250; Armistage orphanage, \$250; hospital for children and training school for nurses, \$500; St. Francis technical school, \$250; Home for the Aged of the Little Sisters of the Poor, \$250; Sisters of the Holy Family, \$250.

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George Blain, a prominent architect and a pioneer architect of this part of the State, is dead at his home in the Willow, near San Jose, at the age of 82. He designed many of the older residences in this section of the State, and planned and selected the material for the entire hardwood interior of the Flood home at Menlo Park. Blain was a native of New York and crossed the plains in the early fifties. Of late years he has been devoting himself to the management of his extensive orchard property. He is survived by a large family.

J. L. Flood of Menlo Park, in keeping with his annual custom, this year has made Christmas gifts to the various charitable institutions totaling \$5,500.

Following are the beneficiaries receiving checks during the last week: San Francisco Protestant orphan asylum, \$1,000; Roman Catholic orphan asylum, \$1,000; Pacific Hebrew orphan asylum and home society, \$1,000; San Rafael orphan asylum for boys, \$1,000; Magdalen asylum, \$500; Boys and Girls' Aid Society, \$250; St. Joseph's asylum for the deaf, dumb and blind, \$250; Armistage orphanage, \$250; hospital for children and training school for nurses, \$500; St. Francis technical school, \$250; Home for the Aged of the Little Sisters of the Poor, \$250; Sisters of the Holy Family, \$250.

PASSING MATTERS OF LOCAL INTEREST

News of Redwood City Billed Down to Condensed Paragraphs.

Miss Lillian Trimble of Oakland is here spending a few days with her friends, the Misses Truman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leslie Johnston of Santa Cruz are in Redwood City spending the week with relatives.

Mrs. C. F. Carr of Monte Rio spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. H. E. Heiner of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stutz are here from Modesto on a visit to relatives.

There will be a special meeting of the Rebekah lodge Monday evening at 7:30. All members are requested to be present.

H. H. Madsen and family motored down from San Jose on Christmas to spend the day with Mrs. Madsen's mother, Mrs. H. E. Heiner.

Dr. Taggart's Christmas and aunt of Berkeley spent Christmas with the doctor at his residence here. The visitors were delighted with Redwood City and surroundings.

Bernasque will serve the usual New Year's Eve dinner this year. Phone or write your reservations for tables and see the old year out and the new year in.

Mardell Robinson, a prominent teacher in the Richmond school district, is here on a visit with her sister, Mrs. Farnsworth. She is a graduate of Stanford.

Miss Nellie Toothacher of Los Angeles and a former graduate of the local high school was here during the week as a guest of her friend, Miss Lucella Behrens.

Redwood City Lodge No. 168, F. & A. M. will hold a meeting in the first degree tonight at 7:30 o'clock. All entered apprentice Masons are cordially invited to attend.

Chas. E. Knight has purchased a new 1913 Ford automobile from the local agent, R. E. Bowie. The Ford is the best of the cheaper cars and is finding a ready sale all over the country.

Miss Helena Hansen of Palo Alto underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Peninsula hospital last Monday. She is improving nicely and will soon be able to resume her duties as teacher in the Colma school.

Lloyd's candy store, that has been lately equipped with all the latest improvements, is the emporium of choice confections of all kinds and holiday goods of every variety. It is the best place in town to buy your candy.

Emmet F. Walt, the enterprising and successful realty operator, who has had charge of the Redwood City office of E. W. McGruder & Co., will engage in business for himself after the first of the year. He has entered into a partnership with G. E. McEnerney of San Francisco.

Mrs. Etta Belle Gay, a native of Iowa, aged 56 years, died at her home on Woodside road Thursday after a long illness. Her husband bought the old Coffey place about three years ago and since then Mr. and Mrs. Gay have resided there. The remains will be interred at San Jose today.

Mrs. Bell Wentworth and her beautiful daughter Marjorie came over from Oakland to spend Christmas with Mrs. Wentworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crowe. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brizard of Burlingame also were guests at the Crowe home on that day. The latter is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Crowe.

Miss Lenora Lane, a teacher in the Halfmoon Bay school department, is here for the holidays on a visit with her mother and sisters.

Miss Sophie Nobs, a teacher in the Higgins school, Miss Hattie Nobs, who teaches in the Santa Anna school department and Walter Nobs of Taff, spent Christmas with their parents.

William Rahtje has purchased the interest of W. E. Westover in the Highland Village Ale Company at San Mateo and hereafter will conduct the business of the concern on his own account. Mr. Rahtje has been connected with the company for several years, delivering soft drinks to customers in all portions of the county. Mr. Westover will engage in business in San Francisco.

Two well-known young ladies of this city while on their way from Mount Carmel church Tuesday evening were run into by a well-known bicycle rider of Redwood and badly injured. The rider made no effort to assist the women but on the contrary rode away without inquiring as to the nature of their injuries. The occurrence took place on the side walk and as it is unlawful for bikers to ride there the gentleman in question is liable to arrest.

W. T. Stead, who has been employed by James Crowe for some time past, will leave on the first of the year to reside at San Mateo. He has formed a co-partnership with J. G. McCarthy, the undertaker, of that place, and will have charge of the branch office to be established at Burlingame. Mr. Stead has made many friends during his short residence in Redwood City and all wish him a successful career in his new undertaking.

Floyd Smith, who has been an assistant in the district attorney's office for some months, left last Friday for Chicago and from there will journey to his old Indiana home. Mr. Smith may return when spring time comes again and may bring with him a bride. It is understood his sudden departure was to see the object of his affections in Chicago and for whom he had long yearnings and with whom he desired to spend the holidays. Mr. Smith has made many friends while here by his winning ways and pleasant manner.

Charles Hurlus, charged with the crime of rape committed on a fourteen year old girl at Easton on December 2, had his preliminary examination in Judge Lampkin's court yesterday. He was held over to appear before the Superior Court with

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meets every Thursday evening in the Wahl Building.
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meets every Wednesday evening in Red Men's Hall, Main street.
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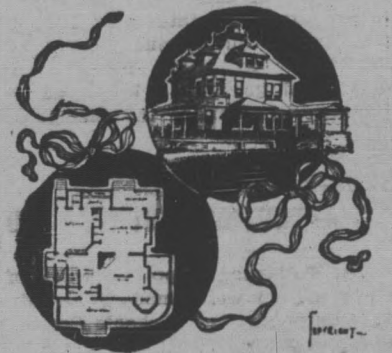
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In the matter of the estate of Louis Fetter, deceased.

Notice of time and place set for proving will, and application for letters of administration, said will being filed for probate.

Notice is hereby given that Anna Wilhelmina Helene Fetter has filed in the above named Court, in the matter of said estate, her petition asking for the admission to probate hereof of the will of said decedent, and for the issuance to her of letters of administration with said will annexed.

The hearing of said petition has been fixed by the Court for Thursday, the 9th day of January, A.D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day, at the Court-room of said Court, at the Court House in Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, and all persons interested in the said estate are notified that there and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why the said petition should not be granted.

Redwood City, December 16, 1911.

J. S. H. NASH, Clerk.
By A. L. Lowe, Deputy Clerk.
Fitch & Meister, attorneys for petitioner, Pheasant Building, San Francisco.

(Endorsed) Filed December 16, 1911.
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(Reported for the Times-Gazette by the Abstract of Title Company of San Mateo County.)

Shore Line Investment Co. to J. Corato. Lot 15, blk. 47, lot 8, blk. 64, Granada.

South San Francisco Land and Improvement Co. to Hensley-Green Co. Lots 55, 56, blk. 1, San Bruno Park, 5th Adn. Lots 52, 53, blk. 4, Lots 47, 48, blk. 5, San Bruno Park, 5th Adn. Lot 54, block 10, same map.

E. E. Eadon et al to S. T. Bernhart. Lot 18, blk. 3, East San Mateo, Portions Lots 1 and 2, blk. 5, Burlingame Park 1.

M. Rosenthal to Adolph Rosenthal. Lot 13, blk. 18, Vista Grande.

A. Rosenthal et al to Walter Mandelberg. Lots 1 and S. 1-2 lot 41, blk. D, Mission St. Tract.

Guadalupe Dev. Co. to American Real Estate Co. Lot 16, blk. 9, City of Visitation.

Brighton Beach Dev. Co. to Mrs. Elizabeth White. Lot 8, blk. 13, Brighton Beach.

Hensley-Green Co. to E. T. Manwell. Lots 18, 19, blk. H, San Bruno Park, 1st Adn.

M. A. Thomas to Farallon Home Realty Co. Lot 2, blk. 61, Farallon City.

W. Wolff and wife to W. W. Denwall. Lot 18, 19, blk. 2, Crocker Tract.

South San Francisco Land and Impr. Co. to Pacific Car & Equip. Co. 2.975 acres and 7.18 near San Bruno.

Henry J. Schath et al to Emilio Garibaldi and wife. Lot 10, blk. 6, School House Land Assn.

H. Ohlsen and wife to H. Shafers. Lots 10, to 64, blk. 13, Manzaneros Tract.

J. G. Ott and wife to Jas. T. Shannon. Lot 4, blk. A, Mission St. Tract.

Lydia H. Barney to M. Wolfsohn. 81.5 Barney 10 acre tract.

W. J. Morgan & Co. to Chas. A. Gibson. Lot 4, blk. 1, Francis Beach Tract.

Hensley-Green Co. to Frank Cunneen and wife. Lot 62, blk. 14, San Bruno Park, 3d Adn.

Peter P. Plouffe and wife to Wm. C. Crane. Lot 25, blk. 16, Vista Grande.

Shore Line Investment Co. to D. Coughlin. Lot 23, blk. 27, Granada.

W. J. Morgan to Harry C. Gray. Lot 3, blk. 25, Wave Crest.

John P. Whalen and wife to L. A. Whalen. Lot 15, blk. 1, Marine View Terrace.

Shore Line Investment Co. to E. J. Keller and wife. Lot 1, block 82, Gladia Sub.

Same to Louis Geminoli. Lot 2, blk. 24, and Adj portion 27, blk. 24, Granada.

Same to E. I. Catterton et al. Lot 5, blk. 36, Granada.

Frank J. Solinsky and wife to T. W. Wood. Lot 9, blk. 2, Marino Vista Park.

Ocean Shore Dev. Co. to John J. Ferreira. Lot 22, blk. 14, Marine View Terrace.

Fred Mignall and wife to Frank Cano. No. 67 lot 5, Reese Sub.

Crocker Estate Co. to Thos. F. Sullivan and wife. Lot 3, blk. 4; Crocker Tract 1.

Brighton Beach Land and Amusement Co. to Edith. Lot 8, blk. 13, Brighton Beach.

Central Trust Co. of Cal. to M. E. Silva. Lot 23, blk. 11, North Fair Oaks.

M. Lamm to I. A. Rothenberg. Lot 33, blk. 20, Amended Bell Air.

Ravenswood Investment Co. to Geo. B. Merwin. Lot 2, blk. 10, Woodland Place.

Ansel M. Easton and wife to C. L. Wood. Lot 12, blk. 10, Loma Park 3.

J. T. Quarles to Ella J. Hennessy. Lot 44, blk. 4, No. Fair Oaks.

Alma Hyer to L. C. Weisbach et al. Lot 18, Reese Sub.

E. E. Lawrence to L. C. Weisbach. Lot 15, blk. 1, McGarvey Sub.

Shore Line Investment Co. to Margaret McKinley. Lot 2, blk. 67, Granada.

M. N. Halverson to L. S. Gould. Lots 16, 17, blk. 1, Am. Belle Air Park.

A. Brules and wife to E. Mahlew and wife. Lot 51, blk. 4, Vista Grande 1.

P. Randall to D. Giovani. Lots 23, 24, blk. 43, Bowie Est. Ern. Addition.

F. Cohen and husband to W. S. Hall. Lot 1, blk. 19, Hillcrest.

H. M. Whitley et al to Union Trust Co. of San Francisco. Lot 63, Laurel Creek Farm.

J. C. Bernal to J. Faustino Bello. 4 acres Bernal Ranch.

Tacoma Mill Co. to W. H. Hanson. Portion E1-2 NW 1-4 Sec. 22, 46.32 acres.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Estate of Mary Ann Pennington, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the last Will and Testament of Mary Ann Pennington, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to exhibit them the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executor at his residence, South Road, Belmont, San Mateo County, State of California, which said residence the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Mary Ann Pennington, deceased.

Executor of the last Will and Testament of Mary Ann Pennington, Deceased.
Dated, Redwood City, San Mateo Co., Cal. December 6th, 1911.

Edwin L. Foston, Attorney for Executor, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal. 12-7-5

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts \$84,942.33
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 5,082.36
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 75,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc. 193,999.92
Banking house, furniture and fixtures 20,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 12,554.15
Due from State and Private Banks, and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks 220.66
Due from approved reserve agents 200,010.19
Checks and other cash items 3,235.24
Notes of other National Banks 3,945.00
Fractional paper currency, nickel, and cents 100.04
Legal-tender notes 25,746.00
Demand notes 29,769.00
Brimington fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent circulation) 3,760.00
Total \$ 899,861.33

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in \$102,000.00
Plus paid in 100,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 102,963.71
National bank notes 134,269.21
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks 77,531.31
Dividends 4,577.92
Individual deposits subject to check 33,484.26
Demand certificates of deposit 134,269.21
Certified checks 3,011.74
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SAN GREGORIA PUPILS GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

SAN GREGORIO, Dec. 25—Seaside school closed Friday for the winter vacation with appropriate exercises, which were so well rendered as to reflect great credit on both pupils and teacher. The school house was nicely decorated with evergreens and a prettily decorated Christmas tree, hung with remembrances from the kind teacher, Mrs. Kelly. The program was as follows:

Song by school, "O Happy, Happy Festal Day."
Recitation, Eight little boys.
Song, Steve Ponce.

Christmas verses, Harry Brotherhood, Emma Bonzani, Leonora George and Alice Caughey.

Song, "Old Fashioned Flowers," Angelina Souza and Beatrice McKay.

Recitation, Mary George.

Song, "All Aboard for Blanket Bay," twelve little folks.

Song, "Forever and Ever," Amelia Zanon, Lorene Roe, Lolita Ponce, Rosie Bonzani.

Recitation, "Christmas Has Come, Eddie Alves.

Song, "Christmas Star," six pupils.

Christmas Acrostic, nine children.

Song, "Jingle all Your Bells, Kris Kringle," four children.

Jes' for Christmas," Richard Bell. Instrumental Solo, Lorene Roe.

Christmas Lullaby, two girls.

"Children's Telegram," Lolita Ponce.

Dialogue, "What is Xmas," Rosie and Josephine Bonzani, Amelia Zanon, Angelina Souza, and Mary Pimental.

Song by school, "Christmas Day is coming."

"Miss Edith Helps Things Along," Lorene Roe.

"Christmas Time is Drawing Near," song by eight pupils.

Recitation, "Christmas Prayer," Miss Mary Sequera.

Recitation, "Beesie's Christmas Dream," Mrs. Ponce.

Song, "Sing Me to Sleep," Miss Edith Hibberd.

Recitation, "Counting Eggs," Mrs. Irene Kelly.

Instrumental duet, Lorene Roe and Richard Bell.

Song, "Christmas Hearts With Rapture Bounding," the Misses Alice, Clarice and Beatrice McKay, Lolita Roe, Mary Sequera, Mary Bonzani, Edith Bonzani, Angelina Souza and Edith Hibberd.

"Santa Claus is Coming," sung by school.

A Merry Christmas to all and to all good night.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL BOYS
SHOW MECHANICAL SKILL

The third semi-annual manual training exhibit under the direction of Principal Robert W. Mantz at the grammar school last Thursday was attended by large numbers of enthusiastic friends and patrons.

Since the school was introduced into the school and those who have kept in close touch with the work commended the increased skill of the Redwood City boys and girls.

The oak table made by Bert Archibald for Superintendent Cloud was considered equal to that of a professional cabinet maker. Mr. Steinberger's unique smoking table made by Alvin Brog was much admired.

The first attempt of the boys at metal work as shown on Mr. Swift's waste basket and the grand father's clock was very popular. Metal work will now be gradually introduced until it becomes a permanent part of the manual training work. This with several other additions that the principal has in mind will make the course as varied, useful and interesting as can be found anywhere.

The new manual training laboratory will be ready for occupancy when school reopens. Thursday grade boys will then begin wood work and there will then be over one hundred and twenty boys from the grammar school in the laboratory.

No. 779.
Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SAN MATEO COUNTY

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L. P. Behrens, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of December, 1911.
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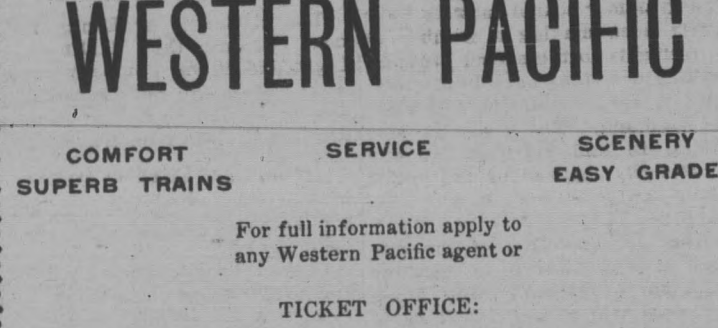
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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executrix of the last will and testament of John F. Merrill, deceased, to the creditors of said decedent, to exhibit them the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix at the office of Rose & Rose, Attorneys at Law, 212 Broadway, San Francisco, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of John F. Merrill, deceased.

Notice of the last will and testament of John F. Merrill, deceased.
Dated Redwood City, California, November 11th, 1911.
Date of first publication November 16, 1911.

Notice of Trustees' Sale.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the terms under the authority of a certain deed of trust duly executed by O. S. Hoover and Louise G. Hoover, his wife, and parties of